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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UK. GY

SUBJECT: SMITH TO RETIRE AS COMMONWEALTH SYG

REF: GEORGETOWN 2090

1. EXTAFF CONFIRMS SMITH INTENDS RETIRE IN 1975, AND HAS SO INFORMED COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENTS BY "SECRET" LETTER. SMITH WOULD PREFER THAT NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION BE PUBLISHED FOR TIME BEING.

2. EXTAFF ALSO REPORTS RAMPHAL IS ONLY DECLARED CANDIDATE. HOWEVER, UGANDAN PRESIDENT AMIN HAS SUGGESTED CANDIDACY OF HIS PREDECESSOR OBOTO, NOW IN HIDING. EXTAFF OFFICIAL SPECULATED THIS MIGHT BE ATTEMPT TO FIND OBOTO SO THAT HE COULD BE FED TO CROCODILES.
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